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MEMORANDUM TO: Chief Executives/Operating Officers, Sponsor
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FROM: James F. Glenn, M.D.

SUBJECT: Support of Conference on Neuroreceptors

DATE: March 31, 1993

You will recall that nearly two years ago, we discussed the matter of a potential international conference on neuroreceptors. Such a conference would focus on nicotinic receptors in the central nervous system. The area is one of intense interest and research at the present time, and it is certainly appropriate that the Council For Tobacco Research promote this vital exchange of information.

Through the efforts of members of our Scientific Staff at CTR, and with the support of our SAB and some former grantees, it has been possible to interest the New York Academy of Sciences in this project. They have now agreed to sponsor this conference, which will be held in Washington, D.C. in May, 1994. We have been asked to contribute to the financial support of this conference, and we feel that a significant contribution should be made.

In previous years, all of our sponsors have encouraged me to come back to them when we need support for special endeavors, which are of significant interest to the scientific community and to the industry. This conference "Functional Diversity of Interacting Receptors," most certainly qualifies as one of both interest and importance. Accordingly, I would like to come and talk with you about the extent to which we should sponsor this conference, and I will ask my secretary to contact your office for an appointment in the next few weeks.

Thank you for the continuing support of the biomedical research mission of CTR. We are extremely proud of the continuing success of our grantees and the very high quality of scientific inquiry which we are asked to support.

Jim
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